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TO AMEMBASSY COLOMBO

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SUBJECT: NEW YEAR'S MESSAGE FROM SECRETARY

REF: COLOMBO

1. SECRETARY HAS RECEIVED FOLLOWING CONGRATULATORY
MESSAGES FROM MALDIVIAN PRIME MINISTER AND MINISTER
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS BY DIRECT CABLE FROM MALDIVES:

A. (DATED DECEMBER 29) QUOTE:TO HIS EXCELLENCY
THE SECRETARY OF STATE: SEASON GREETINGS AND BEST WISHES
FOR THE NEW YEAR. AHMED ZAKI, PRIME MINISTER REPUBLIC
OF MALDIVES.UNQUOTE.

B. (DATED DECEMBER 31) QUOTE: TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE
SECRETARY OF STATE, I SEND YOU SINCERE GREETINGS AND
BEST WISHES OF THE SEASON. I PRAY THAT 1975 WILL BE AN
YEAR OF SUCCESS AND PROGRESS FOR THE UNITED STATES OF
AMERICA, MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS REPUBLIC OF
MALDIVES.

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2. ACCORDING TO OUR INFORMATION AHMED ZAKI REMAINS
MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS AS WELL AS PRIME MINISTER.
THEREFORE, PLEASE TRANSMIT FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM SECRETARY
TO PRIME MINISTER ZAKI: QUOTE: DEAR MR. PRIME MINISTER:

I DEEPLY APPRECIATE YOUR KIND MESSAGES CONVEYING GOOD
WISHES FOR THE SEASON AND FOR THE NEW YEAR. MAY 1975
BE A YEAR OF PEACE AND PROSPERITY FOR THE REPUBLIC OF
THE MALDIVES. BEST REGARDS, HENRY A. KISSINGER:UNQUOTE.

3. DEPARTMENT DOES NOT INTEND TO RELEASE TEXT BUT HAS
NO OBJECTION SHOULD GOM WISH TO DO SO. KISSINGER

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